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KÖINZELL!!!

PRINCIPALITY OF
SCHALLIAARD



*Die Unbesiegte
(The Undefeated)*





HE'S
ALIVE...!



LOOK!

LOOK!
SEE?



YOU'RE...

YOU'RE NOT
THE SORT
OF MAN WHO
WOULD BE
KILLED JUST
LIKE THAT...!!

WELL, OF
COURSE
YOU ARE!



YOU ARE...
COMPLETELY
EXPOSED...

THEN
DON'T
LOOK!



MY
LADY.....







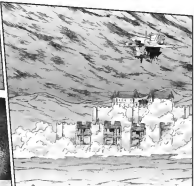
KONZELL...!



SO HE'S WITH THEM...?!



UWAAA-
AAAH!!!







!?

THE
HERO-
KILLING
REBEL....!!



WE SAW THE
REBEL DIE
WITH OUR
OWN EYES...

DON'T
BE
STUPID!

HE
CAN'T BE
ALIVE!!

BUT...



THE
REBEL...

HE'S ALIVE?
AND HE'S
HERE...??



QUELLO
...

I HOPE
HE'S ALL
RIGHT...

MARGUIS
LEBELLOND'S WIFE,
DELGHANDE
AMARIOSCHE





IF YA
DON'T...

YOU'VE
HAD
YOUR
FUN!

HA
HA
HA
HA!

...THE
BITCH IS
GONNA
DIE!!!

NOW
GET
DOWN
HERE!!



MISS
AHT!!





WHAT'S
THIS...?

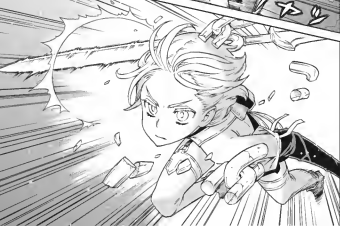


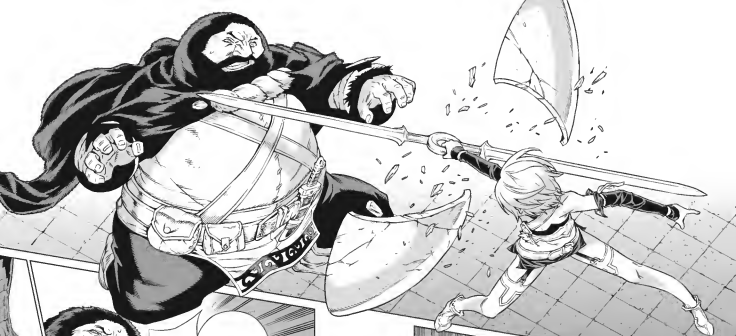
A
SWORD
!!?











WHO ARE
YOU...?

HEH!!

NOW
SURREN-
DER.



YOU'VE
LOST.











I WAS THE
UNDEFEATED
SIEGE
MASTER.

THAT'S
WHAT I
CALLED
MYSELF...

...AND
NO ONE
COULD
DISPUTE
IT.

MY RECORD
PROVED IT TO
BE TRUE.

...THEN
CAME THE
SIEGE
OF A
CERTAIN
CASTLE.

BUT...





HE
REALIZED
HE WERE
IN DEEP
SHIT.

THAT
SUNKERED
ME
UP IN AN
INSTANT.

A BIG OL'
SQUAD OF
BEASTMEN
SURROUNDED
US.



I COULDN'T
SENSE THE
ENERGY WAITING
TO AMBUSH US.
I IGNORED MY
MEN'S
WARNINGS.



WE WENT
AHEAD WITH
THE SIEGE.



WE LASTED
THREE
WHOLE
DAYS IN
THAT SIEGE
TOWER.

WE WERE
EXHAUSTED.
FOOD AND
WATER HAD
RUN OUT.

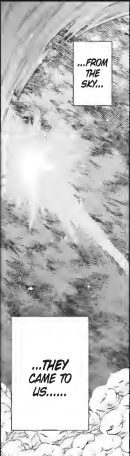


THAT'S
WHEN I
FINALLY
REALIZED...

...THE
"UNDEFEATED"
TITLE...

WORST
MISTAKE
OF MY
LIFE.....

...THE TITLE MY
PREDECESSOR
WORKED SO
HARD TO EARN,
WAS AT RISK...



*...FROM
THE
SKY...*

*...THEY
CAME TO
US.....*

*...BUT
THEN...*

*I
DESPAIED.*

*I'D FAILED
MY OLD
MASTER...*

...THOSE
BRAVE, LANCE-
WIELDING
WARRIORS...!!





THAT'S RIGHT.







FROM THE
BOTTOM OF
MY HEART, I
RESOLVED...

...THAT IF
I EVER
SERVED
UNDER
SOMEONE,
IT'D BE
HIM.....



I SAW
SOME-
THING IN
HIS EYES
THAT DAY.

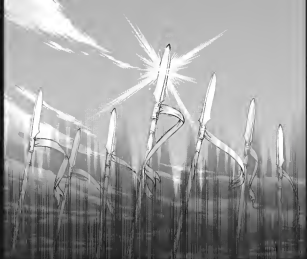
IT WAS THE
ONE THING
I'VE SEEN
THAT I COULD
DESCRIBE AS
BEAUTIFUL.



SERVE
ME?

REALLY?





BUT THAT
KID...



...NEVER
RETURNED...





**Y'SURE
TOOK
YOUR
TIME,
DIDN'T
YOU.....!**

Y...

Y...



RIGHT...
YOU'RE...

YOU'RE
FIGHTING
FOR THEIR
SIDE,
THEN.....?



I DUNNO
HOW OR
WHY YOU
LOOK LIKE
THAT...

...BUT YOU
HAVEN'T
REALLY
CHANGED

THAT
VOICE...

THAT
INSANE
STRENGTH...



OKAY!

THIS
CASTLE'S
NOT
FALLIN'
TODAY!!

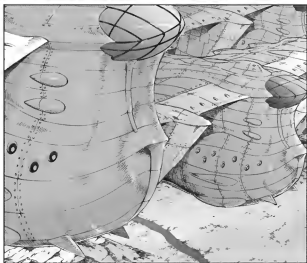
WE'RE
GIVIN'
UP!!!



BUT
BOSS....?!

.....?!







OH?

HAS HE
WON?



LORD
GUELLO IS
FIGHTING
ELECTOR
ARCHALT AT
LAZGREID
STRONGHOLD.

HE'S
JUST SENT
A MESSAGE
VIA GOLDEN
EAR...

MARGUIS
LEBEL-
LOND.



AT
LAZGREID
...

IT'S
HIM...



THIS IS
HARD TO
BELIEVE,
BUT.....

WELL...



WELL?

OUT
WITH IT,
ALREADY.



**THE
HERO-
KILLER'S
SHOWN
UP.....**

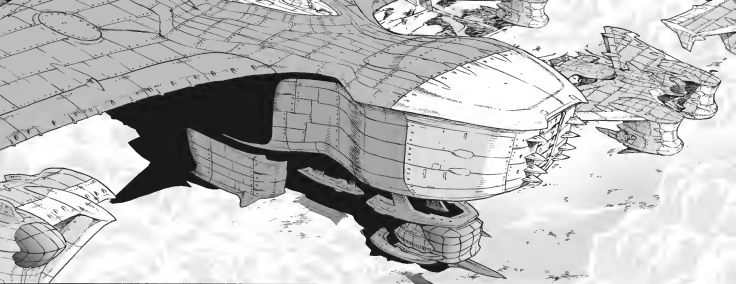
**Die Brüder
(The Brothers)**

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YOU ARE
ALL MIGHTY
WARRIORS,
WHO BEAR WITH
YOU THE
LANCELIGHT'S
HONOR.

FROM MY
FATHER,
MARGUS
LEBELLOND...
...YOU HAVE
BEEN GIVEN
THAT SHINING
ARMOR, A
SYMBOL OF THE
SEVEN HEROES'
AUTHORITY.

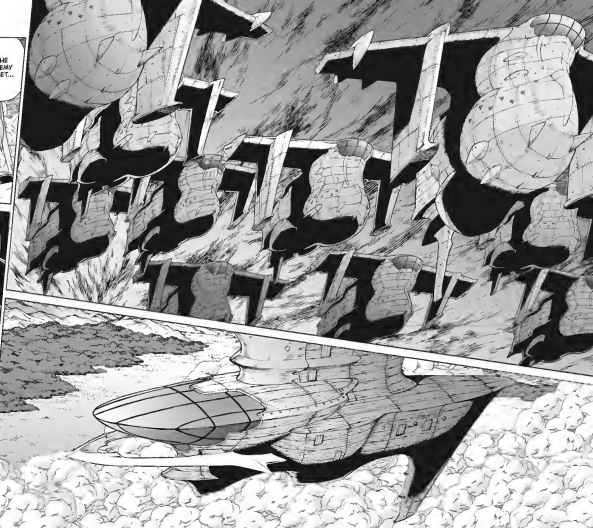


KILL THE
REBEL!

SUBDUED
THIS
TERROR.

FOR MY
FATHER...
FOR THE
EMPIRE...

EVEN AT
THE COST
OF YOUR
OWN LIVES
.....!!





GYAAAA!





















YOU...







I
CAN.....

I CAN
DO IT
TOO.

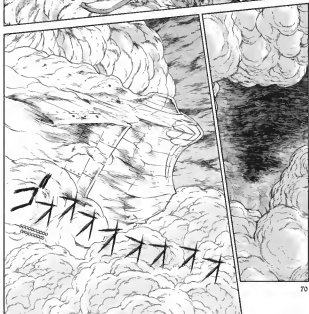
...AM
NOT
WEAK
.....!!

I...



JUST
LIKE MY
BROTHERS
.....!!















IF THE
OTHER
SHIPS
CAN'T
KEEP UP,
LEAVE
THEM
BEHIND!!



GO
FASTER!!

HURRY!!

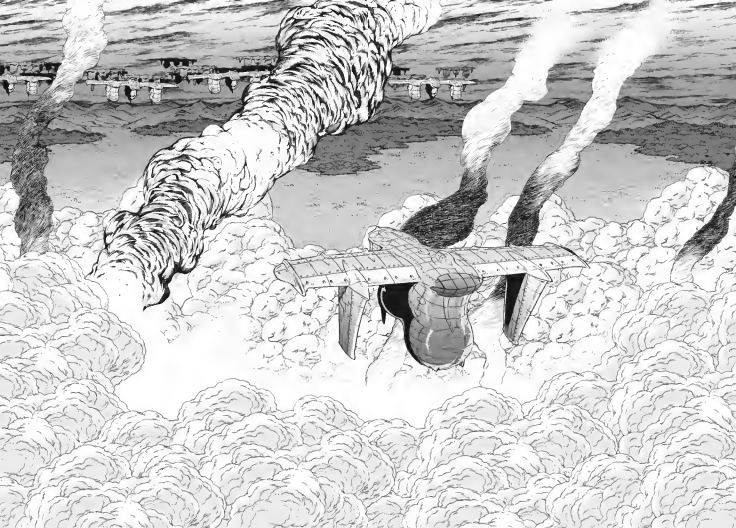


FATHER.

WE
NEEDN'T
PUSH SO
HARD...

AFTER
ALL, YOU
SENT
THEM...

...TO
FOLLOW
RIGHT
BEHIND
QUELD.







WHY IS MY
BROTHER
HERE!?



I'VE BEEN
FOLLOWING
YOU THIS
WHOLE TIME.

BE
GRATEFUL
FOR
FATHER'S
KINDNESS.



Just in
case you
failed.





Father is
on his way
here with
the entire
army.

Even
with that
advanced
model
ship of
yours...

Order
what
remains of
your fleet
to convene
with
mine...

...and
retreat.

Re-
treat.



WE...

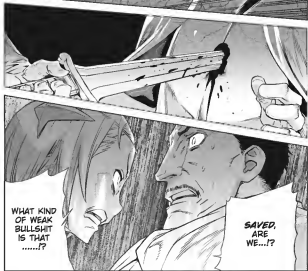
WE'RE
SAVED
.....!



.....



You can't
win this
battle
anymore.





AND IF ANY
ATTEMPT TO
RETREAT
AND JOIN MY
BROTHER...

INFORM
ALL
SHIPS.

THIS
BATTLE'S
NOT
OVER.

...FIRE
ON
THEM
.....!



GUELD
.....?



...WHO
TAKE THE
REBEL'S
HEAD!

IT
WON'T
BE MY
FATHER
OR MY
BROTHERS...

IT
WILL
BE
ME!!

**Die Brüder
(The Brothers)**

II





HEY.

ASCHERIT.



DO YOU
WANT ME TO
PROTECT YOU
SPECIALLY
ON THIS
JOURNEY,
HUN?



WINNING MY
FAVOR IS IN
YOUR BEST
INTERESTS.

I'M THE MAN
WHO'LL BE
EMPEROR.



...I'VE GOT TO
SURVIVE THIS
MISSION AND
TAKE IT BACK
HOME.

FOR THE
SAKE OF MY
KIDS...FOR
MY CITIZENS
BACK IN
KROZEN...

....I HATE
TO PUT IT
THAT WAY
BUT YES



YOU DON'T
MIND WORDS,
DO YOU.

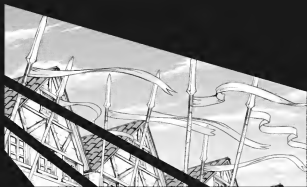


I'M COUNTING
ON YOUR
STRENGTH.

**BLATT
MEISTER.**

DON'T
WORRY.

LEBELLOND.







MY
SON.....



...YOU'LL LIVE
A LIFE OF LIGHT
AND HOPE. I'LL
MAKE SURE
OF IT.

BUT UNLIKE
YOUR
BROTHERS
AND ME...



YOUR DAD
IS ONE OF
THE SEVEN
HEROES. YOU
KNOW.

YOU'RE
THE SON
OF THE MAN
WHO WILL BE
EMPEROR.



GUELD.....

YOU'LL LIVE
A BLESSED
LIFE.



L

LORD
GUELED
.....?





SO WHY
AREN'T
THEY
RETREATING
TO COMBINE
THEIR
FORCES?

THOSE
ARE THEIR
REINFORCE-
MENTS,
RIGHT...?



EVEN
THOUGH
THIS
BATTLE IS
ALL BUT
LOST...!?

THEY'RE
REALLY
NOT GOING
TO GIVE
UP.....?





I'M...!!

BROTHER

I'M...

Are you
listening
to me?

Get
back
here,
Gueild.

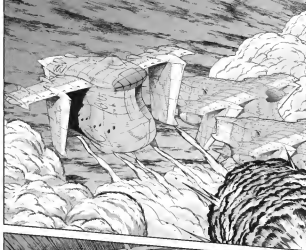


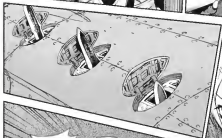
CAP-
TAIN!!

THERE'S
NO WAY
WE CAN
WIN.

IF WE KEEP
FOLLOWING
LORD
GUEILD'S
ORDERS...

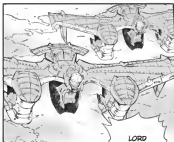
Or
you'll
die for
noth-
ing!











LORD
GUELED'S
SHIP IS
FIRING ON
HIS OWN
FLEET!



**YOU
FUCK-
ING
WEAK-
LINGS
!!!**







**DON'T
RETREEEAT
!!!**



**KEEP ON
FIGHTING!
DON'T
RETREAT!**



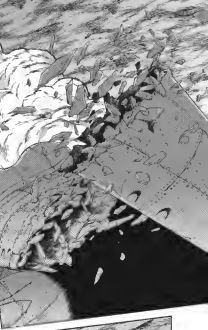
**FIIIIRE
!!!**



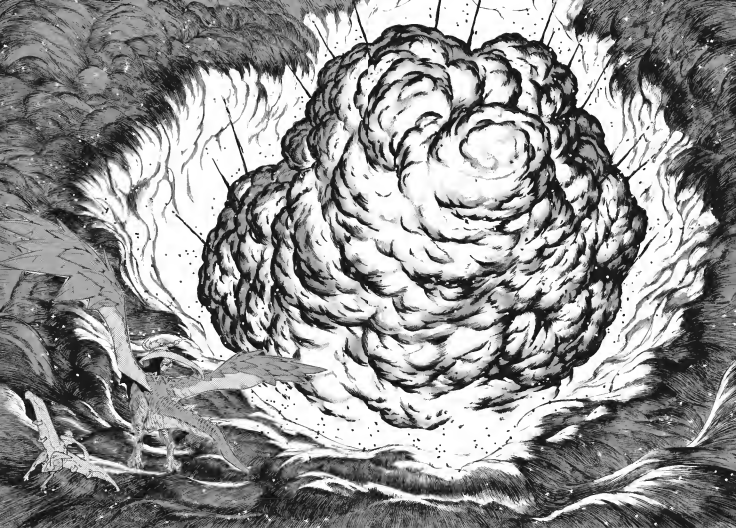
**FUCK
.....!**

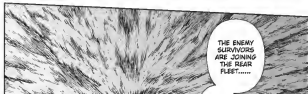
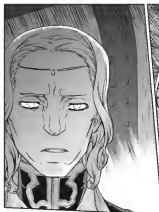












THE ENEMY
SURVIVORS
ARE JOINING
THE REAR
FLEET.....



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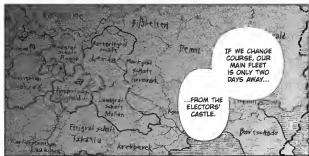
THEY'RE
RETREAT-
ING





THAT
GUELLO WAS
A WEAKLING
TO THE VERY
END.....







THE
ELECTORS
.....

...SEEM TO
HAVE ALLIED
WITH THE
REBEL..



...THE
REBEL
.....

WE HAVE
TO KILL THE
REBEL WHO
STOLE MY
SON FROM
ME.....!!

OF
COURSE
WE'RE
GOING
THERE
.....

WE
HAVE TO
KILL.....



YES,
INDEED
.....

YOU'RE
RIGHT
.....

TAKE
CARE
OF
IT.....



THAT'S AS
GOOD A
PRETEXT
AS ANY...

...FOR US
TO ATTACK
THEM,
POLITICALLY
SPEAKING.



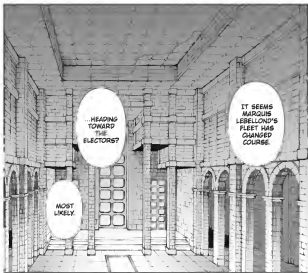
THAT
REBEL
.....

...MUST
DIE.....!

BUT HE
MUST BE
KILLED.....



**UNDER-
STOOD.**

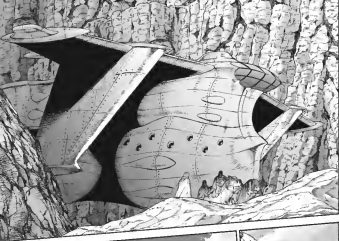




DRAGONGRAVE
ISCHÜDIEN?



SHALL WE
PROCEED
AGAIN?



NORTH LARKING

DRAGONGRAVITE
EXCLAVE:
FOLLINGLOGANE



WE'LL
BE BACK
FOR YOU
IN FIVE
DAYS.
DON'T
LET US
DOWN.



Föllunglogahe









WE'RE IN
FÖLLUNG-
LOGAHE.
NOTE THE
FLOATING
CRAGS.

THIS DETACHED
REGION OF THE
DRAGONGRAVE
LIES ON THE BORDER
BETWEEN THE
ELECTORS'
TERRITORY, LAAKINIA,
AND MARQUIS
LEBELLOND'S
OWN DOMAIN,
KROHZEN.



WE HAVE
FIVE DAYS
TO DO
IT.....



.....



OUR JOB IS
TO DISCOVER
WHY THE
DRAGONGRAVE'S
TROOPS HAVE
BEEN ACTIVE
HERE RECENTLY.



HOW DARE
YOU DOUBT
MY SELF-
RESTRAINT!?

INDEED!
WHAT
RUDENESS,
LORD
WALGE!!!



OUR
PROVISIONS
SHOULD
LAST...
...
PROVIDED
WE DO NOT
EXCEED
OUR
ALLOTTED
RATION.



WHY IS
MARQUIS
LEBELLOND
KEEPING AN
EYE ON HIS
FELLOW HERO,
DRAGONGRAVE
ISCHUDEN?

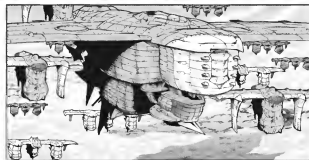
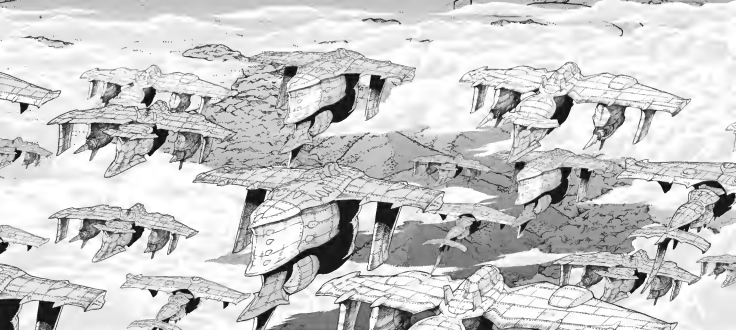


BUT
WHY...?



...BUT THAT
DOESN'T
MEAN
THEY'RE
UNITED.

THEY
MAY BE
THE SEVEN
HEROES...







AN ALL-OUT
ATTACK ON
THE ELECTORS
IS UNWISE AT
THIS POINT.

THE OTHER
LORDS WILL
VIEW IT AS
A REBELLION
AGAINST THE
EMPEROR'S
AUTHORITY.



FALZAZ
BECHREMERT

VITZERIGE
EBENOS

RIGHT
NOW,
SEVEN
OF THE
ELECTORS
ARE IN
LANKINA

ARCHZALT
RAHNCLAVE

SHEVRIED
IRI

ANAV
GELKRALD

SIO
KLUNZEIRANKRAAL

ZEIVEN
KLUNZEIRANKRAAL

HOW-
EVER...





SOMEWHERE
OUT OF
SIGHT.

FIRST, WE
NEED ELECTOR
JANO DEAD.



THAT
WILL
TAKE
TOO
LONG!!



THEN WE
DECLARE THAT
THE ELECTORS
AND THEIR
PEOPLE HAVE
ALLIED WITH
THE REBEL.

WHETHER WE
DEFEAT THEM
ALL AT ONCE
IN LAARKINIA OR
IN THEIR OWN
TERRITORIES,
IT MATTERS
NOT.....



WE'RE IN
CONTROL OF
NEARLY THE
ENTIRE
IMPERIAL
ARMY!

WHY
SHOULD WE
BOTHER
HUMORING
THESE
LESSER
LORDS
WITH SOME
ELABORATE
FARCE!?



FATHER
INSTRUCTED
US TO ATTACK
ELECTOR
ARCHZALT...

...AND
ELIMINATE
THE WHOLE
LOT OF
THOSE
REBELS AT
ONCE!!



FATHER'S IN
NO CONDITION
TO EFFECTIVELY
LEAD THIS ARMY.



BROTHER
.....







WHEN WE
MAKE OUR
MOVE...

...I DON'T
DOUBT THE
HERO-
KILLER WILL
SHOW
HIMSELF
AGAIN.



BARRANT IS
IN CHARGE OF
CAPTURING
ELECTOR JANO.
WE'LL
PROVIDE HIM
WITH BACKUP.



THE PROBLEM
IS THAT THE
HERO-KILLING
REBEL
SHOWED UP.

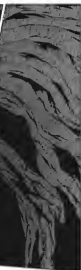
IT'S UNFAIR
TO LAY ALL
THE BLAME ON
GUELDO'S
INCOMPETENCE.











WH-WHAT
THE.....



WHAT
EXACTLY.....IS
DRAGONRAVE
ISCHUDEN
DOING DOWN
HERE.....?





PERHAPS WE
OUGHT TO PAY
DRAGONGRAVE
ISCHÜDEN
A VISIT AS
WELL.....

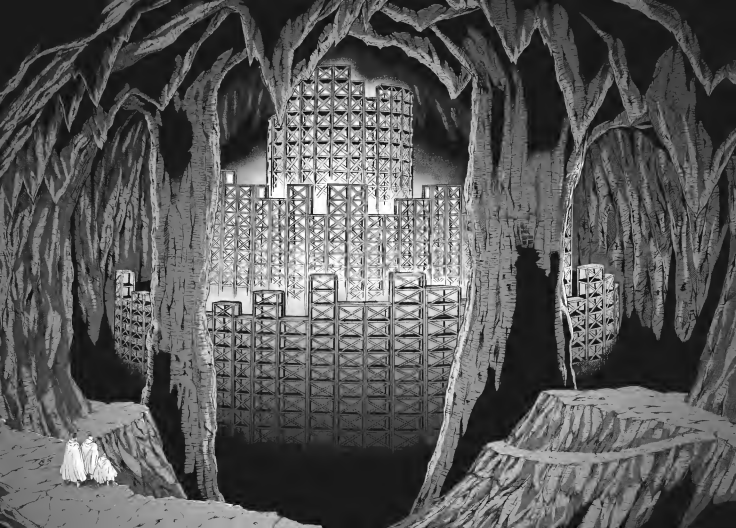
OH!.....
COVER ALL
OUR BASES?
EXCELLENT
THINKING,
LORD
RASCHER...!



THERE'S
SOMETHING
ELSE EVEN
DEEPER....

LET'S
INVESTIGATE,
LORD
RASCHER!!







!!!

IS
THAT.....
A
CASTLE!!?

WHY
BUILD A
CASTLE
WAY
DOWN
HERE....!?



I-I
DON'T
UNDER-
STAND
.....

BUT
WE'LL BE
REWARDED
FOR
REPORTING
THIS.....!!

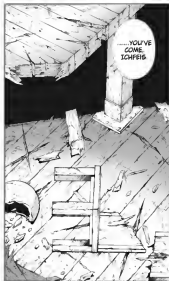
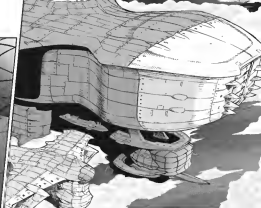




WHO'S
OVER
THERE?



TRES-
PASSERS,
HUH...?





YOU'LL GET
ANOTHER
CHANCE TO
FIGHT HIM.

REJOICE,
ICHFEIS.



THE
HERO-
KILLER IS
ALIVE.

AND HE'S
BOUND TO
COME FOR
MY HEAD.



I'M THE
MAN
WHO'LL BE
EMPEROR.

WINNING
MY FAVOR
IS IN YOUR
BEST
INTERESTS.



PROTECT
ME,
ICHFEIS.

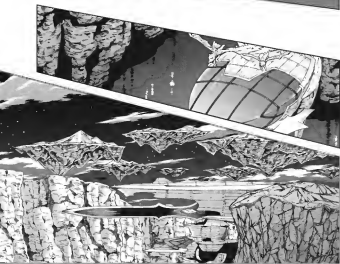




HOW-
EVER

.....

...I'LL
BE THE
ONE TO
FINISH
HIM
OFF.







Föllunglog

Drachenkorridor

Drachenkorridor
(Dragon's Corridor)

THE WINDING
CANYONS OF
FOLLINGLOGAKE
ARE LITTERED
WITH DRACHESTEIN.
WE'LL USE THOSE
ROCKS TO HIDE OUR
APPROACH.

WE WANT
TO AVOID DIRECT
CONFRONTATION
WITH MARGUIE
LEBELLON'S
MAIN FLEET.....

WE'LL AVOID
A BATTLE WITH THE
ENEMY FLEET AT ALL
COSTS AND ESCORT
ELECTOR JANO TO
LAZARESH
STRONGHOLD
SAFELY.....

IT'S NOT A
STRATEGY I
WOULD CHOOSE,
BUT THIS IS OUR
BEST OPTION.





WHEN HE REACHES
THE MEETING POINT
HE'LL GIVE US A
SIGN.



TOMOR-
ROW'S
THE DAY.

I EXPECT
ELECTOR
JAND IS
JURIDY
ON HIS WAY
HERE.



WHAT'S
THIS.....?



!



?



THE
DRACHEN-
KORRIDOR.

VIOLENT
WINDS NEVER
STOP BLOWING
THROUGH
THERE.



THEY SAY IT'S BEEN
FLYING THROUGH
THOSE WINDS
WITHOUT LANDING
FOR HUNDREDS OF
YEARS.

THERE'S ALSO A
GIANT DRAGON
THAT'S SWALLOWED
A VAST AMOUNT OF
DRACHESTEIN.



.....

...THAT'S
BEEN
SUCKED UP
INTO THE
WIND.....

IT
SURVIVES
BY EATING
ANIMALS
AND EVEN
HUMANS...



I TRAVELED
THROUGH
THERE LONG
AGO.



YOU KNOW
QUITE A LOT
ABOUT IT.





HE BECAME
OUR CURRENT
EMPEROR,
OF COURSE.
LARGOR III.



!

I PAID A
VISIT TO THE
RUNSLAVE
FAMILY...



THAT
YOU'VE MET
MY FATHER
BEFORE.....

.....I SUPPOSE
I SHOULDN'T BE
SURPRISED TO
HEAR THAT...



YOU
RESEMBLE
ARCHAULT
IN A LOT OF
WAYS.

YOU BOTH
HAVE STRONG,
PIERCING EYES,
EYES FULL OF
PASSION.

AND STRONG
WILLS. ALWAYS
TRYING TO DO THE
RIGHT THING.....

...IN ORDER
TO PROMOTE A
CERTAIN MAN
FOR EMPEROR.



Föllunglogahe

Nordlaskora

Kauflupit

L...



ABSOLUTELY
NOT.

THE ELECTORS
ARE ABOUT TO
CHOOSE A NEW
EMPEROR. NO
GOOD COULD
COME OF IT...

...IF ONE OF
THEM WAS
FOUND TO HAVE
MET WITH THE
"REBEL".....



.....WELL,
TATU WAS
TWENTY
YEARS
AGO.

I DON'T
KNOW
WHETHER
HE'S
CHANGED
OR NOT.



.....WOULD
YOU LIKE TO
MEET WITH
FATHER?

TIME
PERMITTING,
WE
COULD...









ENEMY
MASCHINEN-
DRACHE
IN FRONT!!

BEHIND,
AS WELL
.....!

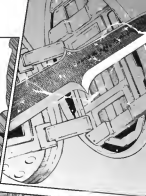
WE'RE
SUR-
ROUND-
ED!!!







THEY
ANTICIPATED
OUR
PLAN.....

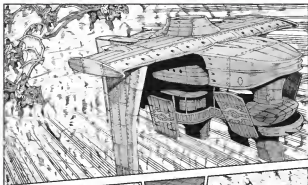


KON-
ZELL/
THAT'S
.....!

STUPID
!!

HOW
COULD
WE BE SO
FOOLISH
!?







A STRONG
WIND IS
BLOWING
FROM THE
DRACHEN-
KORRIDOR!

GET
THE FLEET
BACK IN
FORMATION!



WAAAA-
AAAH!!



THEY'RE
ATTACKING
!!



IT PAINS ME
TO ADMIT.....
BUT THEIR
SOLDIERS
ARE BRAVE!

EVEN
IN THIS
WIND.....





KEEP
ON
THEM
!!!

IF WE
CAN'T
CAPTURE
'EM
ALIVE.....

...THEN
THEY'VE
GOTTA BE
KILLED!!







**It's
the
Hero-
Killer
!!!**

**Lord
Bar-
rant...
It's
him!**

**He's
really
here!!**



**DON'T
LET HIM
ESCAPE.**

**HE
MUST
DIE.**

**WE'RE
NOT
GONNA
MAKE
IT.....**

**ENEMY
MASCHINEN-
DRACHE
ABOVE!!**

EVADE!!!





THAT
DAMN
HERO-
KILLER
.....!









GET
BACK
TO THE
SHIP!

WE'VE
DONE
WHAT
WE CAME
FOR!

AHT!

WHAT
ABOUT
YOU
.....?



IT'S
GONNA BE
RISKY,
BUT.....
...I'M
GOING
TO
TRY.



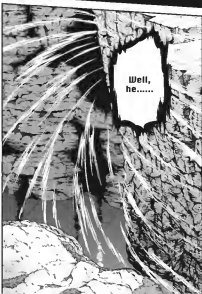


Elector
Jano.....
managed to
rendezvous
with
Rahnclove's
new
flagship.



WHAT
OF THE
HERO-
KILLER?

.....



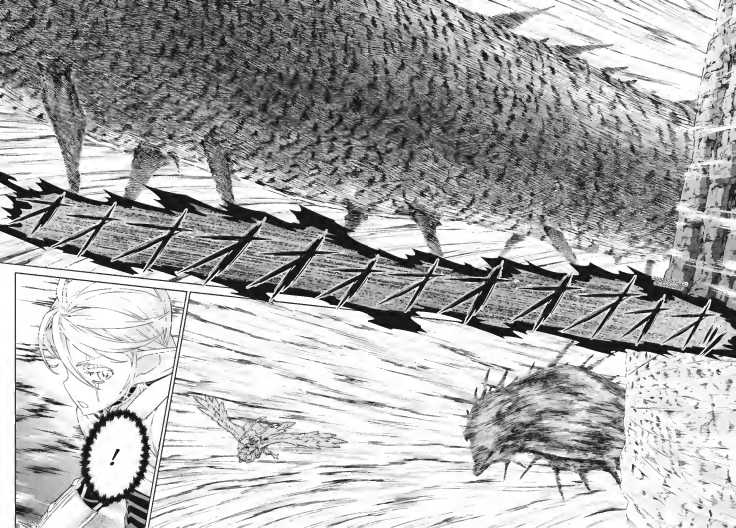
Well,
he.....



HE
FLEW
INTO.....

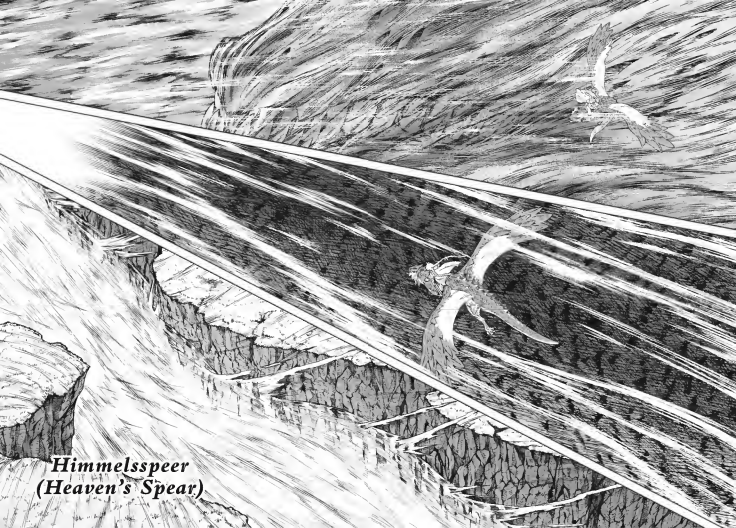
...THE
DRACHEN-
KORRIDOR
.....?



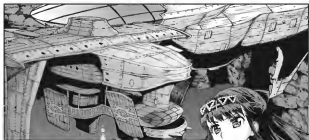








*Himmelsspeer
(Heaven's Spear)*





...AND
HOPEFULLY
PUTTING AN
END TO HIS
TYRANNY.



WE'LL
ELECT A NEW
EMPEROR,
STRIPPING
MARQUIS
LEBELLOND
OF HIS
COMMAND
OVER THE
ARMY.....



...THE
EIGHT
ELECTORS
CAN
ASSEMBLE.



HE'S
NOT MY
SOLDIER.
NOTHING
LIKE
THAT.

NO,
ELECTOR
JANO.



HE
FOUGHT
QUITE
WELL.

THAT
SOLDIER
OF YOURS
WAS
SOMETHING
ELSE.



HE'S...

...MY
HERO.

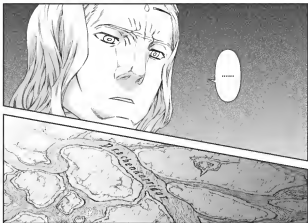


HE'S
NOT.....?

THEN
JUST WHO
WAS THAT
SWORDSMAN.....?













That's...
the
Hero-
Killer!!

Th—

HE GOT
AWAY
.....!?

The Hero-
Killer has
appeared
at the
head of
the main
fleet!!!

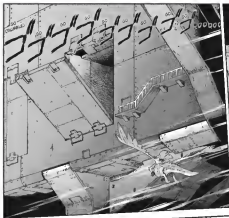


**ALL
SHIPS!
OPEN
FIRE!!!**

**INCIN-
ERATE
THE
REBEL
!!!**













MARQUIS
!!!





A vertical panel on the left side of the page. It depicts a small ship on a choppy sea. The background is filled with dense, swirling clouds or smoke. Two speech bubbles are present: one at the top and one at the bottom.

I SEE...
THAT
SHIP.

YOUR
SON WAS
INSIDE...



A vertical panel in the middle. It shows a close-up of a character's face, partially obscured by a diagonal beam of light or a structural element. The character has long, light-colored hair and a determined expression.

HOW
DARE
YOU TAKE
MY SON
FROM
ME!!!?



A vertical panel on the right side. It features a close-up of a character's face with a very intense, angry expression. The character has a large, prominent nose, deep-set eyes, and a wide, toothy grin showing sharp teeth. The background is dark and textured.





WHAT
SHOULD
WE DO,
ROSGNER
.....?

AT THIS
RATE,
FATHER
WILL.....



!
WHOSE
FLEET??



LORD
ROSGNER!
LADY
SPAZZ!

ON OUR
PORT
SIDE.....
A FLEET
IS...

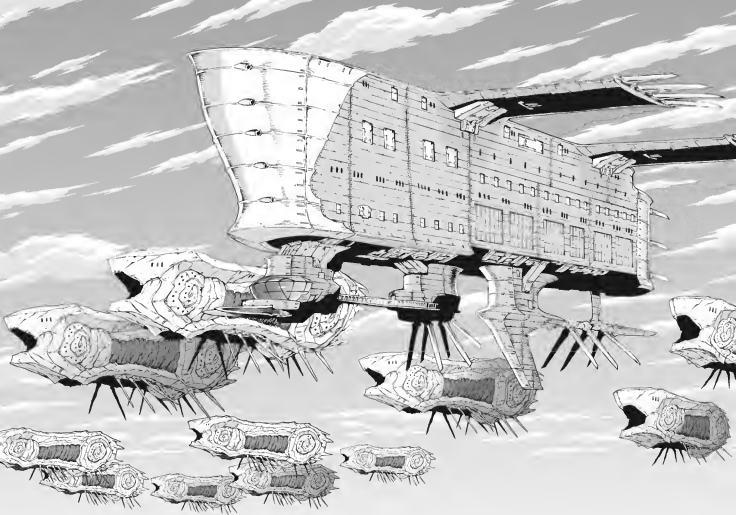


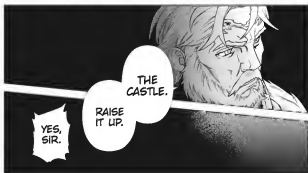
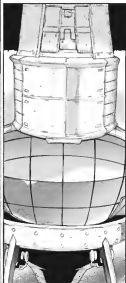
I'VE
NEVER
SEEN
SHIPS
LIKE
THESE
.....



WAIT...
IN THE
CENTER
OF THE
FORMA-
TION...

IT'S
DRAGON-
GRAVE
ISCHU-
DIEN'S
SHIP!!!

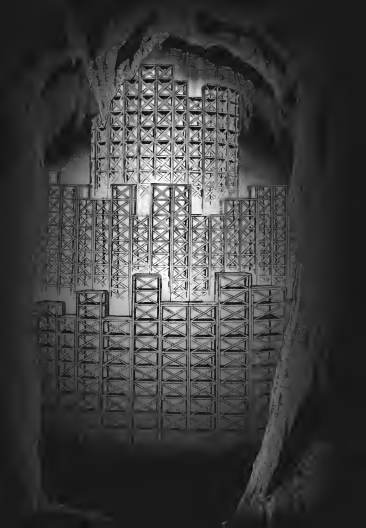


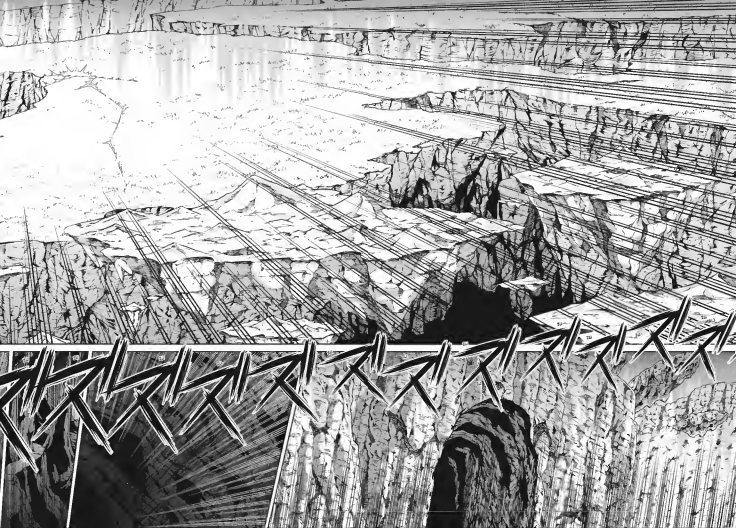


THE
CASTLE.

RAISE
IT UP.

YES,
SIR.



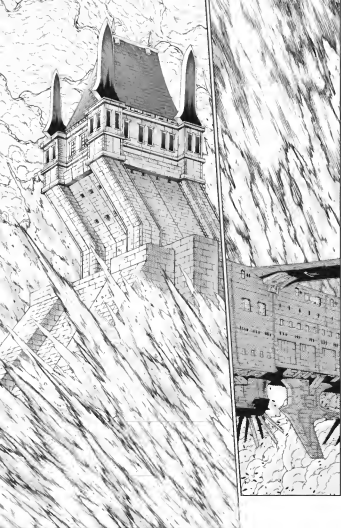


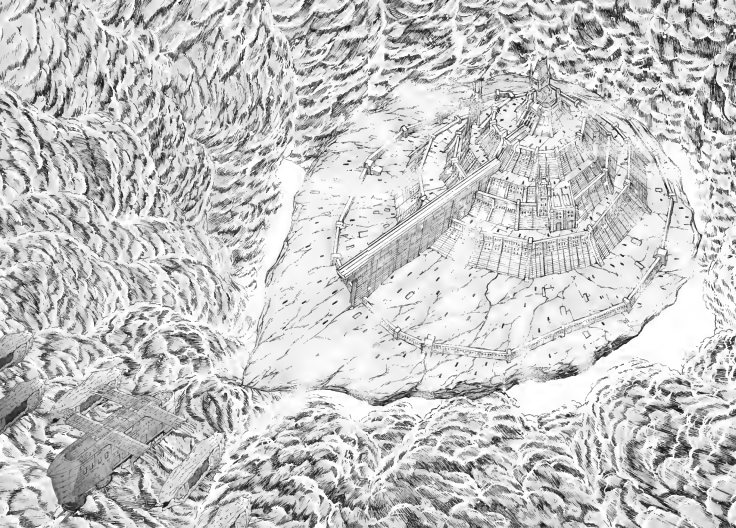














HIMMELS-
SPEER
CASTLE IS
AIRBORNE.

WE MAY
BOARD AT
ANY TIME.





GLENN.

Libelblatt



IT'S LORD
GLENN.....



LORD
GLENN'S
COME TO
SAVE US!!



1977 A.D.
(Akko
Donatio)

Five years since
the Seven's return
homecoming.

Glenn, one of the
heroes, took it upon
himself to lead his own
force and suppress
rebells in the
borderlands.



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GOTTA SAY
I'M GRATEFUL
THE PEOPLE
BELIEVE IN THE
'SEVEN HEROES'
AFTER'N EVER
THANKS
TO YOU.



YOU'VE SURE
BEEN BUSY,
GLENN.



IMPERIAL CAPITAL
STATION







YOU MIGHT
TRY HELPING
THE PEOPLE
AS WELL.

YOU'RE ONE
OF THE SEVEN
HEROES TOO,
LEBELLOD.



...THE
PEOPLE...

...NEED
HEROES
NOW MORE
THAN EVER.



YOU MUST HAVE
THE PEOPLE'S
SUPPORT BEFORE
YOU CAN
ACCOMPLISH
ANYTHING,
LEBELLOD.

THEY MUST
BE MORE THAN
WILLING TO GIVE
THEIR LIVES FOR
THE SAKE OF
THEIR LORD.....



IF I TAKE
MY ARMY
AND MOVE
OUT ON A
WARR...

YOUR
TERRITORY'S
A WHOLE
LOT MORE
MANAGEABLE
THAN MINE.

...WHO
KNOWS
WHAT THE
FACTORS
BACK
HOME'LL
DO?



NO
MATTER...

NO MATTER
HOW STRONG
AND WISE AN
EMPEROR YOUR
FATHER IS...



YOU'LL
NEVER BE
EMPEROR
GLEN!

THE
ELECTORS
DON'T
FAVOR
LEGACIES.

...MANAGE
TO BECOME
A "STRONG
AND WISE"
EMPEROR...

IF
YOU...

...I WOULD
NOT HESITATE
TO PLEDGE MY
LOYALTY AND
LEND YOU MY
STRENGTH.





YOU THINK
YOU'RE SO
FUCKING
HIGH AND
MIGHTY...?

WHAT'S WITH
THAT LOOK,
GLENN...?

WOW...



...THE
SAME
SIN
AS US!!!

YOU
COMMIT-
TED...

THE ONE WHO
CAME UP WITH
THE PLAN TO
KILL ASCHERIT
AND THE OTHERS
AND STEAL THEIR
HONOR...

NEVER
FORGET
THAT!

...WAS
YOU,
GLENN!!

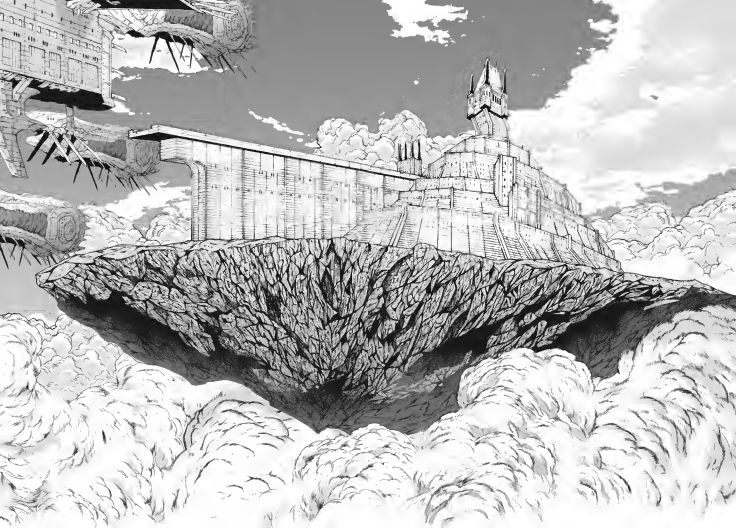
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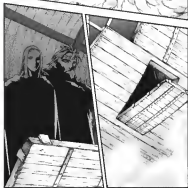
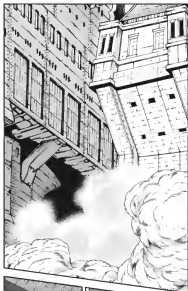
...BUT
YOU'RE
THE
WORST
AMONG
US!!!

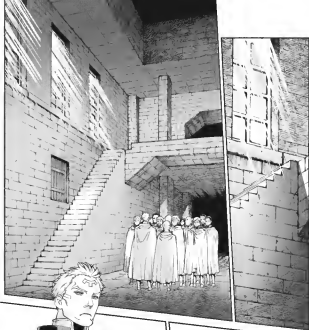
WE SEVEN
ARE ALL
SINNERS,
TO BE
SURE...













THIS CASTLE
IS THE
SYMBOL...

...OF THE
NEW ERA
THAT'S
ABOUT TO
BEGIN.



HIMMELS-
SPEER...

...IS NOW
AIRBORNE.



...BEEN
GRANTED A
ROLE TO PLAY
IN BRINGING
ABOUT THIS
NEW ERA.

AND WE'VE
FINALLY...

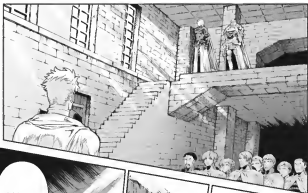


WHAT
EXACTLY IS
DRAGONRAVE
ISCHODIEN
PLANNING TO
DO WITH THIS
CASTLE?

CAPTAIN.



A "NEW
ERA"...?





LORD
GLENN.



...HE
LOOKS
SO
DIFFER-
ENT...!



IT'S
LORD
GLENN
.....!



IT'S
DEFINITELY
HIM...

BUT...







SO...THE
DRAGONGRAVE'S
FINALLY GOING
TO HELP US
FIGHT AGAINST
WISCHTECH?

OH!!



...



I HAVE
A BAD
FEELING
ABOUT
THIS...!



I
DON'T
LIKE
IT...!





I am
Captain
Argerant,
of the
Order of
the Seven
Lances.

Attention,
retainers
of Marquis
Lebellond.



THAT VOICE
HAS TO BE
COMING FROM
HIS SHIPS. OR
MAYBE THAT
FLOATING
CASTLE.

THEY'RE
WORKING WITH
DRAGONGRAVE
ISCHUDIEN
NOW.



HOW IS
HE.....? I
THOUGHT WE
WERE THE
ONLY ONES IN
POSSESSION
OF...

...THESE
GOLDEN
EARS...



SO THE
DRAGON-
GRAVE HAS
A GOLDEN
EAR...?



WHY
DOES THE
ORDER
HAVE
ONE...?!

!!!



Our
master...

Retainers
of Marquis
Lebellond.
Listen
well.



...Lord
Glenn
wishes to
address
you.



DID HE
SAY
"LORD
GLENN"
...!?





You've
proven
yourself
unworthy
of the
authority...

...granted
you by his
highness.

I order
you to
withdraw
the
Imperial
Army at
once...

...and
relinquish
command
back to his
highness.

Refuse
to do
so...



**...TO
DESTROY
YOU.**

**...AND I
WILL USE
ALL OF MY
POWER...**



!!!!



...DECLARE
WAR ON
FATHER
...!!?

...DID
MARGUS
GLENN...
DID HE
JUST...



LEBELLOND.



...I GIVE
YOU THIS
WARNING.

AS ONE
WHO
SHARES
YOUR
SIN...

WE WERE
TRAVEL
COMPANIONS,
COMRADES
IN ARMS...

WE WERE
ONCE
TASKED
WITH THE
SAME
MISSION.



...IS
NOTHING
BUT...

ATTEMPT-
ING TO
FULFILL
THAT
DREAM...

THAT
AMBITION
OF
YOURS...

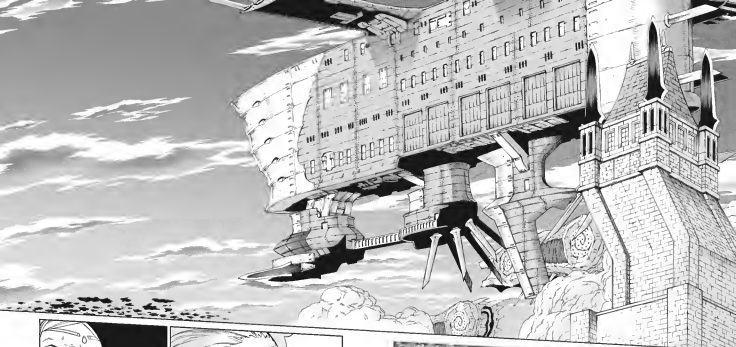


...
**FOOLISH-
NESS.**



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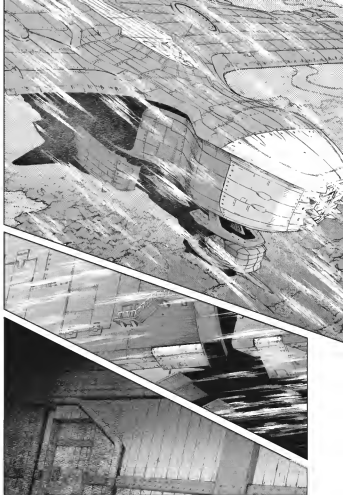
**THE REAL
ONE
CAN'T BE
ALIVE!!**

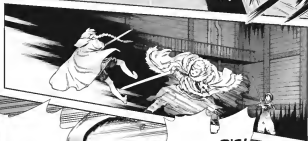
**THE REAL
MARQUIS
GLENN...**



**WHAT
A FOOL
BRANDISH-
ING THE
NAME
OF A
HERO!!**

**FIRE...
FIRE
ON
THEM!!**





**HERO-
KILLER
!!!**

**DIE!
DIE!**



**GUH
!!!**



**I CUT
HIM...!**

**I CUT
HIM!!!**



**I CUT
HIM!!**

**SEE
THAT,
BLATT
MEIS-
TER?**

**HA-HA-HA-
HA-HA-HA-
HA-HA-HA-
HA!!!**



**YOU
FUCKING
HERO-
KILLER...!**

**YOU
EVEN
KILLED
MY
SON.**



**YOU
KILLED
GLENN...**



**YOU KILLED
SCHTEM-
WOLECH...
YOU KILLED
BARESTAR...**



**HERO-
KILLER!!**

**BUT NOW THAT
I'M ACTUALLY
FIGHTING YOU?
YOU'RE NOT
THAT TOUGH!**



**I CAN
KILL YOU
MYSELF!!**

**I DON'T
EVEN NEED
HELP FROM
MY BLATT
MEISTER...**







I HAVE
TO BE
WARY...

...OF
GETTING
WITHIN
ICHFEIS'S
RANGE
...!!



HUH. I'M
ACTUALLY
AFRAID
OF GETTING
CLOSE
TO AN
ENEMY.

HOW
LONG
HAS IT
BEEN...?



WHEN WE
FOUGHT AT
THE GREAT
FISSURE...

...YOU HAD
ALREADY
IMPROVED
SO MUCH,
ICHFEIS...!





I'M
ACTUALLY...

...SCARED
OF YOUR
BLADE
...!!!



COVERED
IN
BLOOD!!



HA
HA!!

HA...

L-LOOK AT
YOURSELF,
HERO-
KILLER!!



!!

MAR-
QUIS
!!!



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LET'S
END
THI—

I GROW
TIRED OF
TOYING
WITH
YOU...!



...
ICHFEIS!!!

**DON'T
INTERFERE**
...

!

**THIS
BAS-
TARD...**

**...IS
STILL
MY
PREY.**

**IT'S
JUST A
SCRATCH.**



OF
COURSE...
YOU ARE
THE HERO-
KILLER,
AFTER ALL.

HAH!

HEE!

IT'D BE A
SHAME IF I
NEVER GOT
A CHANCE
TO SEE
YOUR *TRUE*
METTLE...!

HAH!

HEE!

HEE!





YOU'VE
AGED...

...
LEBEL-
LOND...

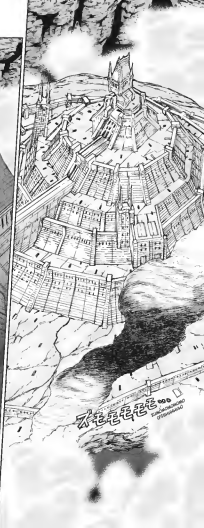




MARQUIS
LEBELLOND'S
FLEET IS
FIRING ON
US!!

HIMMELS-
SPEER'S
OUTERMOST
FORTIFICA-
TIONS HAVE
BEEN HIT...

MINOR
DAMAGE!





IS THAT
YOUR
ANSWER
THEN?



LEBEL-
LOND?





FIRE.

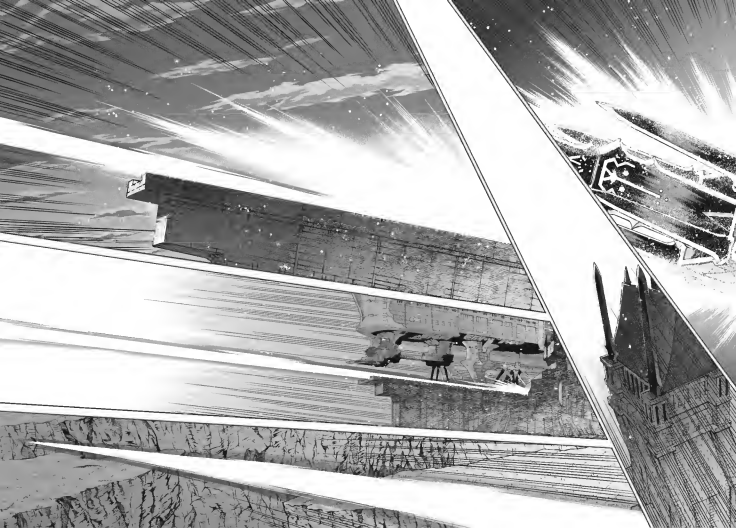


...

**SHALL
WE
BEGIN?**

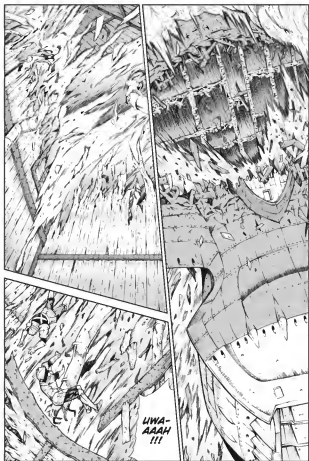
**LORD
GLENN?**

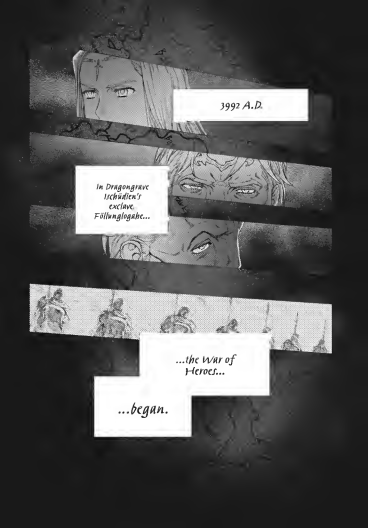












3992 A.D.

*In Dragongrave
Ischudien's
exclave,
Föllunglogabe...*

*...the War of
Heroes...*

...began.





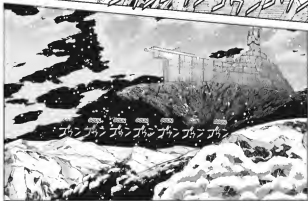
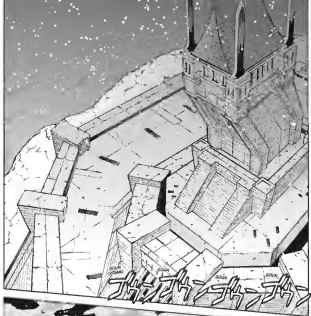
AHH...

LORD
GLENN
...!!



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*In the Land
of Plenty,
Szuafenden...*

*In 1993
A.D....*

The seven territories collectively known as Heldenstrasse, once governed by the Seven Heroes who saved the empire...

...are licked
by the
flames of
war.





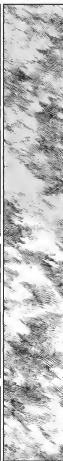


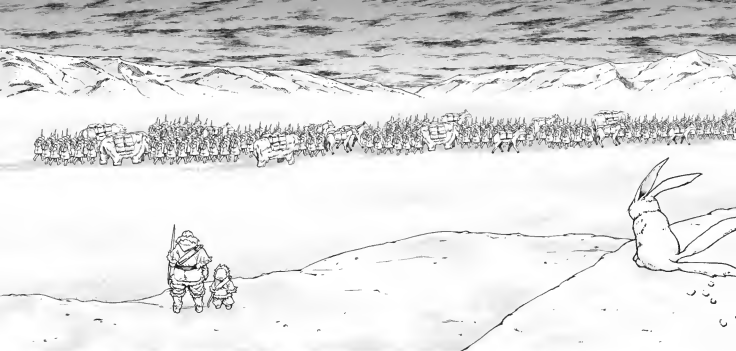
*The conflict
echoes the
great war
of twenty
years ago...*



*...and once
more, the
people are
gripped
by
fear...*







WHY'RE
YOU
CRYING...?



HOW SAD,
THAT IT
WOULD
COME TO
THIS...



GRANDPA
...?



LOOK,
GRANDPA!
SOLDIERS!



NORTHEASTERN KRONZEN,
IN MARGUIS LEBELLON'S
TERRITORY

DOLLBARANAS
HIGHLANDS

...WOULD SPLIT
AND TAKE TO
FIGHTING EACH
OTHER....!

THAT
OUR
HEROES...

...THE
"SEVEN
HEROES"



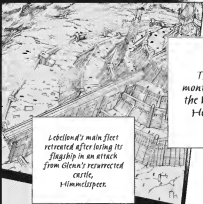


LET'S
HEAD
HOME
FOR
TODAY.



A MIGHTY
BLIZZARD'S
COMING.





*Three
months into
the War of
Heroes.*



*Lebellond's main fleet
retreated after losing its
flagship in an attack
from Glenn's resurrected
castle,
Himmelspeer.*



*Lebellond's fourth
son, Barrant,
attempted to
hold back the
attackers with his
own fleet...*





...and Ischwiden's
Grand Dragon Fleet
approached from
Dragongrave Loden,
catching Barrant in a
pincer attack.

...but
Himmelspeer
crossed the
border from
Lankin...

Lebbonn
was forced
to abandon
his main
castle in
Krohzen.

He retreated to
the Dollbaranas
highlands in the
northeast, where
he began
amassing troops.



WE'D
BEST NOT
SQUANDER
WHAT
RESOURCES
WE HAVE...

THIS
CASTLE MAY
BE UNDER
SIEGE SOON.

**ROSGNER,
YOU
INSOLENT
...!!!**



**I'M
COLD
!!!**

**MORE
WOOD
FOR THE
FIRE!!**



THIS
FUCKING
COLD...

IT STINGS
MY BURNS
FROM THAT
BLAST!!



PRINCIPALITY OF
KROHZEN,
MOUNT WALLIOFFENNA,
LUGGA CASTLE



THEY'RE
BIDDING
THEIR
TIME FOR
NOW.

THEY CAN'T
DECIDE WHO
TO BACK—
MARGUIS
GLENN OR
YOU, FATHER.



NONE.

ANY
REPLIES
FROM THE
NOBLES?!



EVEN THE
CAPITAL IS
DEMANDING I
GIVE UP THE
ARMY...

BUT
DESPITE
THAT...

THESE
FOOLS...



GODDAMN
COWARDS
!!

AND THAT
DAMN
GLENN...

TURNING
AGAINST ME!
AGAINST THE
IMPERIAL
ARMY!!



**BACK
THEN...**

**...WHY
COULDN'T
YOU KILL
GLENN
PROPERLY
!!!?**



**DAMN
YOU.**

**DAMN
YOU,
HERO-
KILLER
...!!!**



**ALL THIS IS
BECAUSE HE
FAILED...!!!**



**SHIT!!
SO
COLD!**

**WOOD!
WOOD
FOR THE
FIRE!!!**





NO SMALL
NUMBER OF
WITNESSES SAW
THE HERO-
KILLER CUT
DOWN MARGUIS
GLENN.

...SO IS THE
MAN WE'RE
FIGHTING
NOW...THE
REAL MARGUIS
GLENN...?



...IS THAT
WE WERE
ADDRESSED
BY SOMEONE
CALLING
HIMSELF
MARGUIS
GLENN.



ALL WE
KNOW
FOR
SURE...



...SOME SORT
OF IMPOSTOR
DRESSED UP FOR
THE PART BY
DRAGONRAVE
ISCHUDMEN...?

MIGHT
THAT
HAVE
BEEN...



FATHER

.....



I
HATE...

...SEEING
HIM LIKE
THAT...

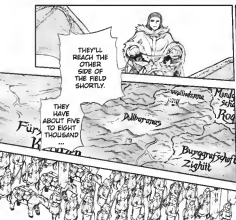


IF
THAT'S
THE
CASE...



...THEN
IT SEEMS
WE'LL BE
DESTROYED
BY A MERE
PRETENDER.

WHAT
A
JOKE.







WELL,
I'M SURE
WE'LL BE
FINE.

OUR
ARMY'S
SO BIG,
AFTER
ALL...



THEY'RE
COMING!

IT'S
MARQUIS
GLENN'S
LAND
ARMY!!

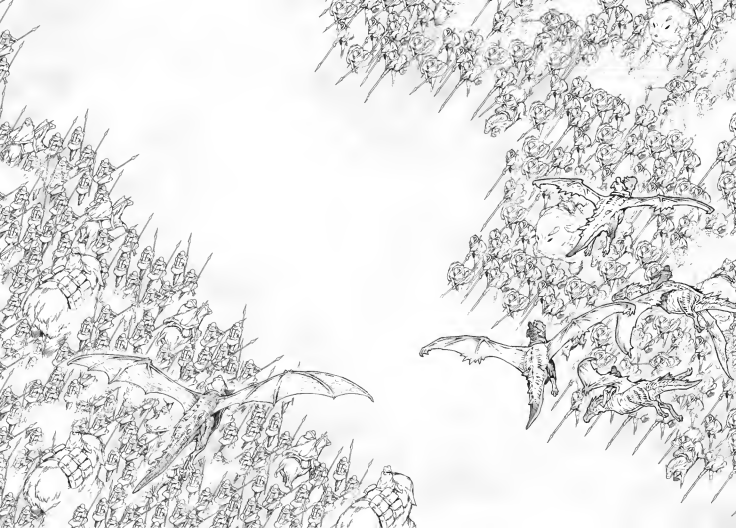


ALL
UNITS
PREPARE
FOR
BATTLE!

YOUR
LIVES ARE
RIDING
ON
THIS!!



AND WE'VE
GOT THE
BLATT
MEISTER ON
OUR SIDE.





THEY MUST
REALIZE THAT
DETHRONING
THE CURRENT
EMPEROR
DURING A CIVIL
WAR WOULD
ONLY ADD TO
THE CHAOS.

THE
ELECTORS
ARE STILL
ELUDING
US.

AND WE'VE
RECEIVED
ANOTHER
MESSENGER
FROM THE
CAPITAL.

SEND
HIM
AWAY.

I'VE
NOTHING
TO SAY
TO THEM
YET.

UNDER-
STOOD...

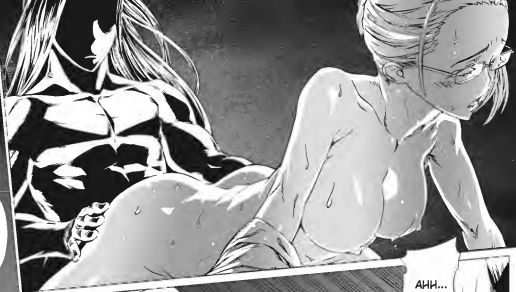


DON'T
CALL ME
"MARQUIS."

PLEASE...
FORGIVE
ME.

I AM NO
LONGER
"MARQUIS
GLENN."

...LORD
GLENN...

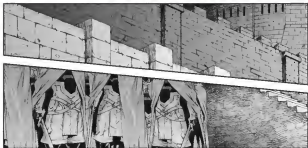


AHH...



MARQUIS
GLENN...

YOU'RE
SO
YOUNG...!!



THOSE
QUEER-
LOOKING
MASCHINEN-
DRACHE...



THIS
CASTLE...



...BUT
EVERY TIME,
DRAGONRAVE
ISCHODIEN
REFUSES TO
ANSWER.

WE'VE
ASKED
FOR AN
EXPLANA-
TION...

AND LORD
GLENN,
LOOKING
LIKE
THAT...



LET'S DO
THIS...



LORD
GLENN
MUST
BE.....

THE
EMPIRE
IS IN
CHAOS...

THIS WAR
BETWEEN *THE*
SEVEN HEROES
THEMSELVES,
OF ALL THINGS,
IS CAUSING HELL
FOR THE
PEOPLE...

NO...



**THAT
IMPOS-
TOR...**

**...MUST
BE
KILLED!**

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**GYAAA-
AAAAA-
AAAAA-
AAAAA-
AAAAA-
AAAAH!!!**



**WHAT
WAS
THAT!?**

!?







...AGAINST SCUM LIKE YOU.



DON'T CALL HIM THAT...

.....

















LORD...
GLENN...





WE'VE GOT
THE BLATT
MEISTER
WITH US!

D-DON'T
WORRY!

ARE WE...
GONNA
DIE OUT
HERE...?

SO
COLD...

...WHEN IT
LOOKED
LIKE THE
IMPERIAL
ARMY
WOULD
LOSE TO
WISCHTECH...

WAY
BACK
THEN...

THIS OLD MAN
FROM THE
VILLAGE IS A
VETERAN
FROM THE
LAST WAR.



THE INSPIRED
ARMY TURNED
THINGS AROUND
AND WON!

...KFER AND
ASCHERIT
SUDDENLY
APPEARED...



AAAAAAAA



IT'S
BAD
LUCK...

DON'T GO
AROUND
SAYING
THE NAMES
OF THOSE
TRAITOROUS
LANCES!



HEY!



SO AS
LONG AS
WE'VE
GOT—



**ENEMY
ATTACK
!!!!**

!!



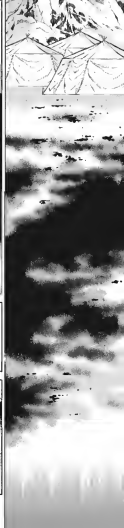
LORD
GAIERALL!
IT'S GLENN'S
TROOPS! THIS
IS A NIGHT
RAID!!!













.....

LET'S HEAD
BACK, SIR
BLATT
MEISTER.

WHY...?



?

...AND
ASCHERIT...
THEY DID
IT.....

FATHER
...



THAT
DAY...



SO WHY
CAN'T
I.....!!?



THEY
GAVE
US THE
STRENGTH
TO ENDURE
AND KEEP
FIGHTING.

UNDER
THOSE
BANNERS,
WE
SOLDIERS
WERE
UNITED IN
SPIRIT.

BUT NO
MATTER
HOW MUCH
BRAVERY
YOU SHOW
HERE, SIR
BLATT
MEISTER...



...HIS
HIGHNESS'S
GRAND AND
SHINING
BANNERS...

...STOOD
TALL
ALONGSIDE
US THE
WHOLE
TIME.







DON'T BE
SCARED,
LADIES...

HEE
HEE
HEE
HEE...



HEH-HEH...
OH, I
KNOW...!



DON'T
KILL
THESE
TWO.





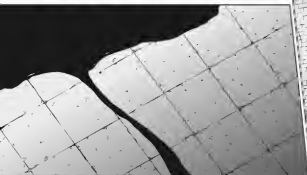
YOU
BASTARD
!!!



WHO THE
HELL IS
HE...!?

EK...!









JUST AS
I ONCE
WAS...

THEY
WERE
WEAK.



IN THE FACE
OF SOMETHING
THEY COULDN'T
COMPREHEND
THEY WERE
CONFUSED.



DRIVEN
MAD.

FRIGHT-
ENED.

SO THEY
TURNED
ON ME.



PLAN...?



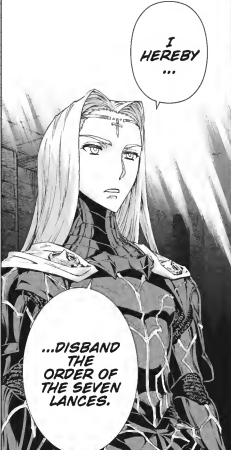
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THE
HEARTS
OF MEN
ARE
WEAK.

THAT'S
WHY MY
VISION...

MY
PLAN...
IT MUST
COME TO
PASS.

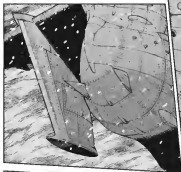


**I
HEREBY
...**

**...DISBAND
THE
ORDER OF
THE SEVEN
LANCES.**

**YOU'VE
LONG
FOUGHT
WELL FOR
ME.**

**MY DEAR
KNIGHTS...**





STAND
PROUD.



MARQUIS
LEBELLOND'S
DREAM...

YOUR
FATHER'S...



STAND PROUD
AS KNIGHTS
OF LEBELLOND,
ONE OF
THE SEVEN
HEROES...

WITH THAT
SPLENDID
ARMOR THAT
FATHER GAVE
YOU.



WHERE'S
THE BLATT
MEISTER
GOING?





THE BLATT
MEISTER USED
TO SERVE
MARQUIS
GLENN, YOU
KNOW...

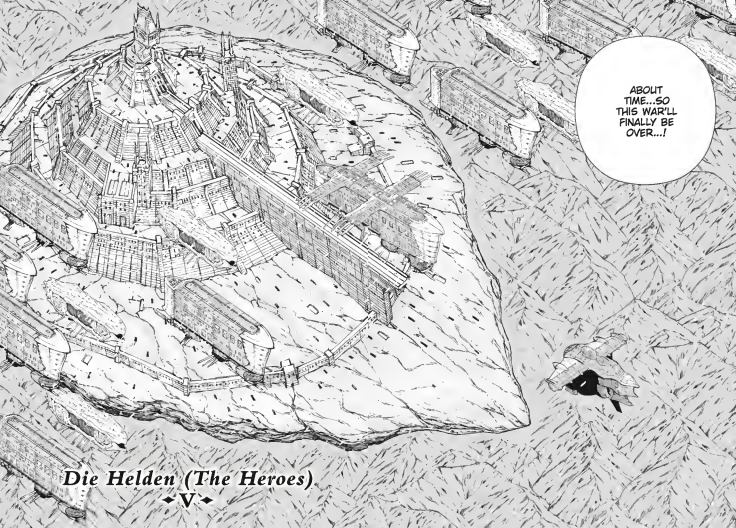
TO MARQUIS
GLENN'S
FLOATING
CASTLE.



?



THEY'RE
GOING TO
SUE FOR
PEACE.



ABOUT
TIME...SO
THIS WAR'LL
FINALLY BE
OVER...!

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NATURALLY
I HAD NO
IDEA YOU
WERE ALIVE,
MARQUIS...

YES.



IT WAS A
SECRET TO
ALL BUT A
SELECT FEW.

INDEED.



IT'S BEEN
A LONG
TIME,
ICHFEIG.

SO
YOU'RE
LEBEL-
LOND'S
MAN
NOW?





ENVOYS OF
LEBELLOND.

I WILL
HEAR
YOU.



I AM
LEBELLOND'S
SON,
ROSGNER.

IT IS
GOOD TO
SEE YOU
AGAIN,
MARGUIS
GLENN.



AND I
AM HIS
DAUGHTER,
SPAZZ.



OUR ONLY
DESIRE IS TO
COMMUNICATE
HIS WILL.

WE'VE
COME TODAY
ON BEHALF
OF OUR
FATHER.



**...IS THAT
YOU DIE
HERE AND
NOW.**

**...ALL
WE
ASK...**

**MARQUIS
GLENN...**



AND WE'LL
BE TAKING
THIS GIANT
FLOATING
CASTLE!

ALL FOR
FATHER'S...

...FOR OUR
FAMILY'S...
GLORIOUS
AMBITIONS!!

WHA...

WHAT
ARE YOU
SAYING!?



!!?



SPAZZ
!!!



I...I
THOUGHT
YOU HAD
COME TO
NEGOTIATE
PEACE...!?

LORD
ROSGNER
...!?









YES,
THEY'LL
BE FINE.

THAT SPECIAL
ARMOR WILL
SERVE THEM
WELL!!



NO
NEED TO
WORRY...









WHAT
THE.....?



WHAT
DID YOU
DO TO
THEM!!?



WHA
...!?



IT WAS
INFUSED
WITH
SORCERY.
**PERFECT FOR
A SITUATION
LIKE THIS!**

THAT
SPECIAL
ARMOR
THEY
WORE...



**BLATT
MEISTER!**



OUR
OWN
MEN...

HOW
COULD
YOU DO
THIS...!?





**DO IT,
BLATT
MEISTER!**

**THAT'S
AN
ORDER
FROM
YOUR
MASTER
!!!**

!!?















YOU
STOPPED
MY
SWORD!?



RANGZATZ.
ICHFEIS.

SHEATHE
YOUR
BLADES.



THIS
FIGHT
IS
OVER.

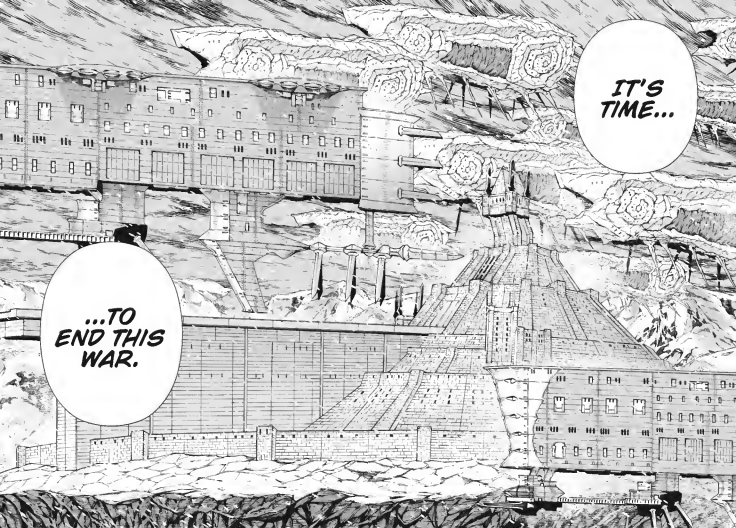


SEND THE
FLEET TO
LEBELLOND'S
CASTLE.

ISCHU-
DIEN.

ARGE-
RANT.

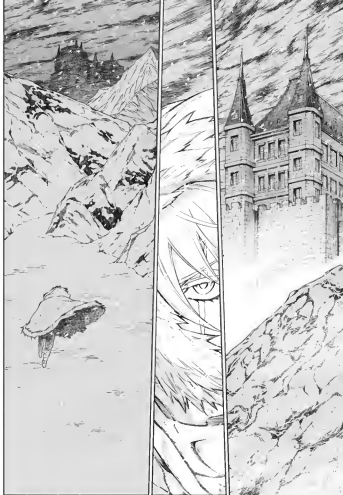




*IT'S
TIME...*

*...TO
END THIS
WAR.*





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